

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

LOPEZ, *et al.*

Serial No.: 10/595,480

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For: PRECIOUS METAL OXIDE CATALYST FOR WATER  
ELECTROLYSIS

**Confirmation No. 1237**

Art Unit: 1793

Examiner: Cam N. Nguyen

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**Mail Stop: Amendment**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed 23 April 2010, to which the time for response was set to expire 23 July 2010. A Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee are submitted herewith to extend the date for response to 23 August 2010. Claims 9-30 were pending and claims 9-20 were rejected. Claims 21-30 were withdrawn from consideration. Reconsideration and entry of the following amendment(s) are respectfully requested.

Amendment to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.  
Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.